

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re National Stage of International Application)
No.PCT/EP04/03621 under 35 U.S.C. § 371 of:)
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Federico PAVAN et al.)
) Group Art Unit: 1792
Application No.: 10/594,392)
) Examiner: E. Burkhart
§ 371 Date: September 27, 2006)
) Confirmation No.: 9255
PCT Filing Date: March 31, 2004)
) **VIA EFS WEB**
For: PROCESS FOR PRODUCING A METAL)
WIRE COATED BY MEANS OF A PLASMA)
DEPOSITION TECHNIQUE)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

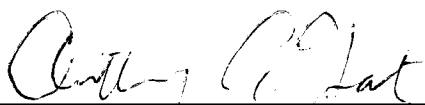
Applicant petitions for a two-month extension of time to file a reply to the Office
Action of August 18, 2009. A fee of \$490.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached
reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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